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1. The Chinese Communists detailed a group of 250 military cadres to serve in Vietnam. In the spring of 1951 these cadres trained troops of the Democratic Republic of Vietnam (DRV) at Tungshing (107-58, 21-33) and Fangch'eng (108-23, 21-46). Most of these cadres speak the Cantonese and Hupeh dialects, and some Yunnanese. On 20 August KU I-ming (顧一鳴), a Hupeh native who is a division level staff officer, led the group through Tungshing enroute to North Vietnam. The group will go to South Vietnam to assist the DRV in reorganizing local armed forces there.
2. The DRV appointed CH'IN Ta-hai (陳大海),¹ 35-year-old graduate of the Yennan Resisting Japan College,² to greet the group upon entry into Vietnam.

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1. [] Comment. The Vietnamese equivalent is Tran Dai Hai.
2. [] Comment. Probably the wartime Red Army school in Yenan.

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